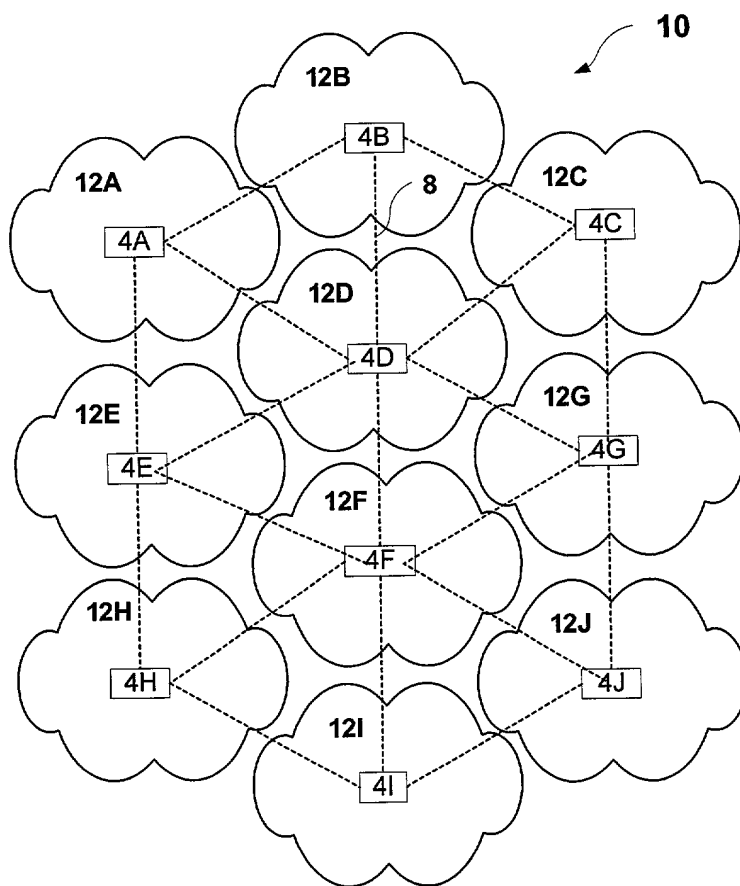


**FIG. 1**



**FIG. 2**

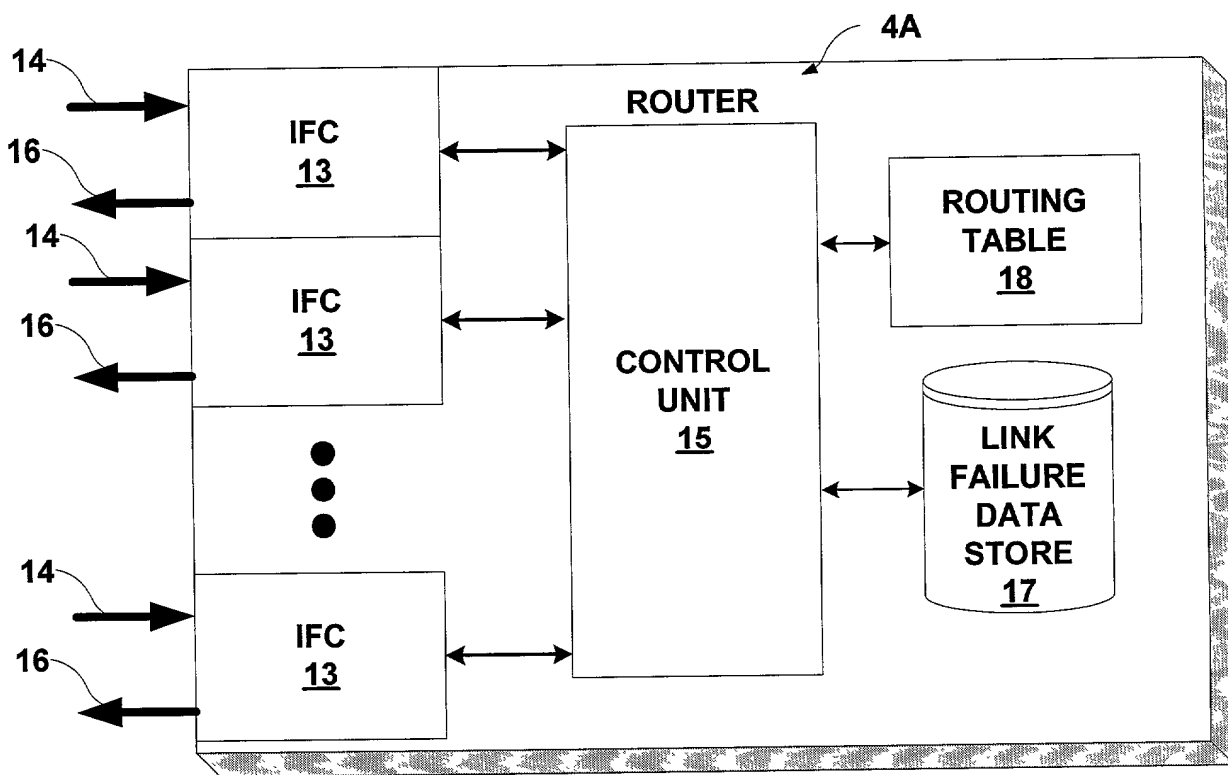


FIG. 3

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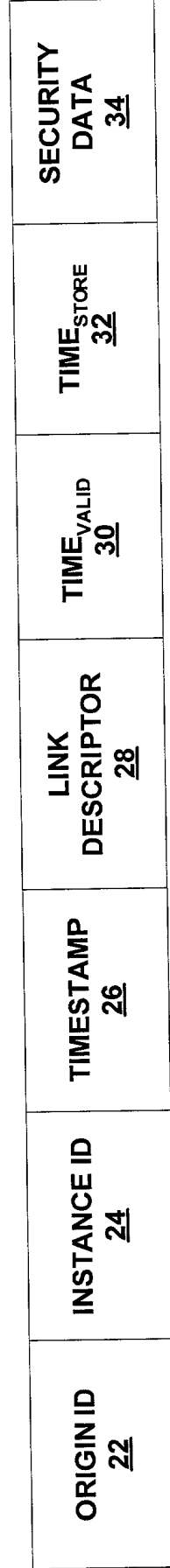
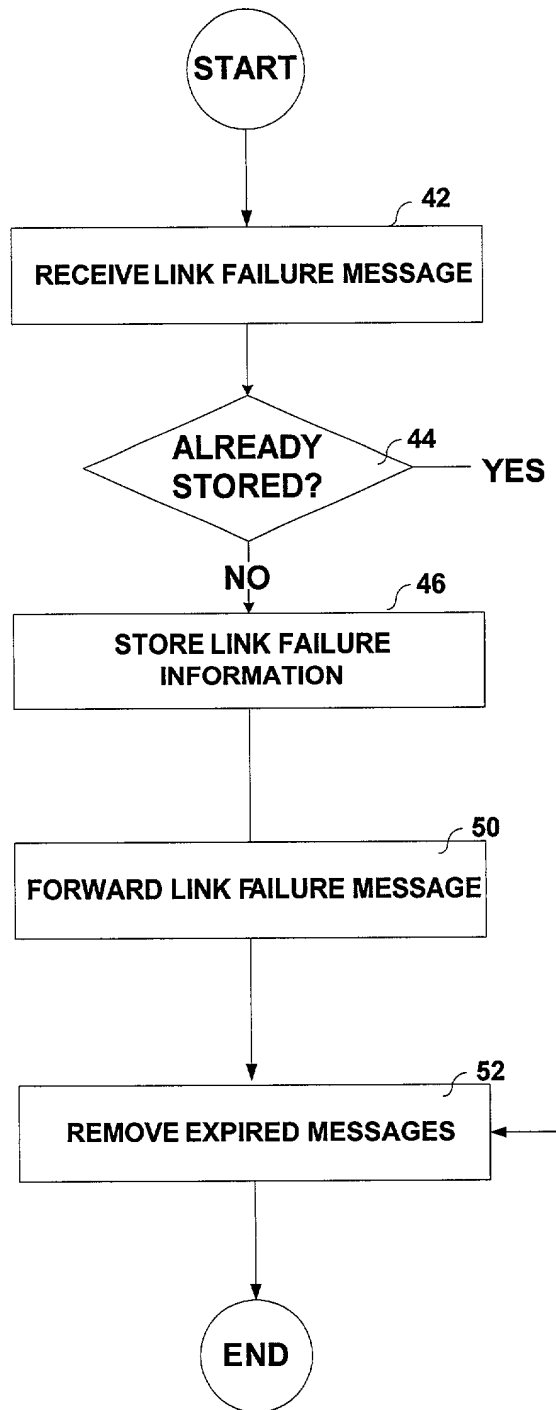
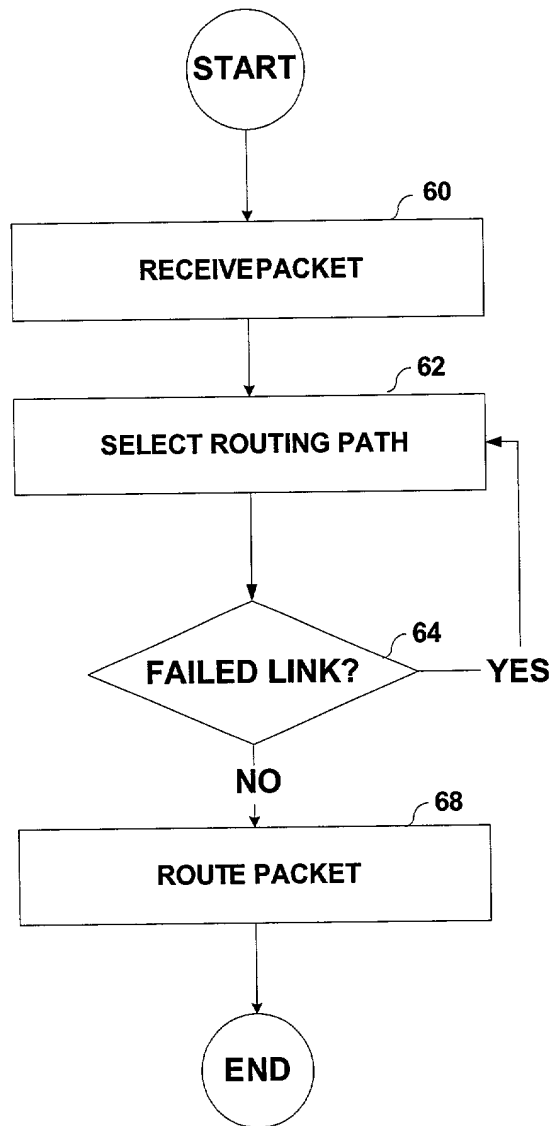


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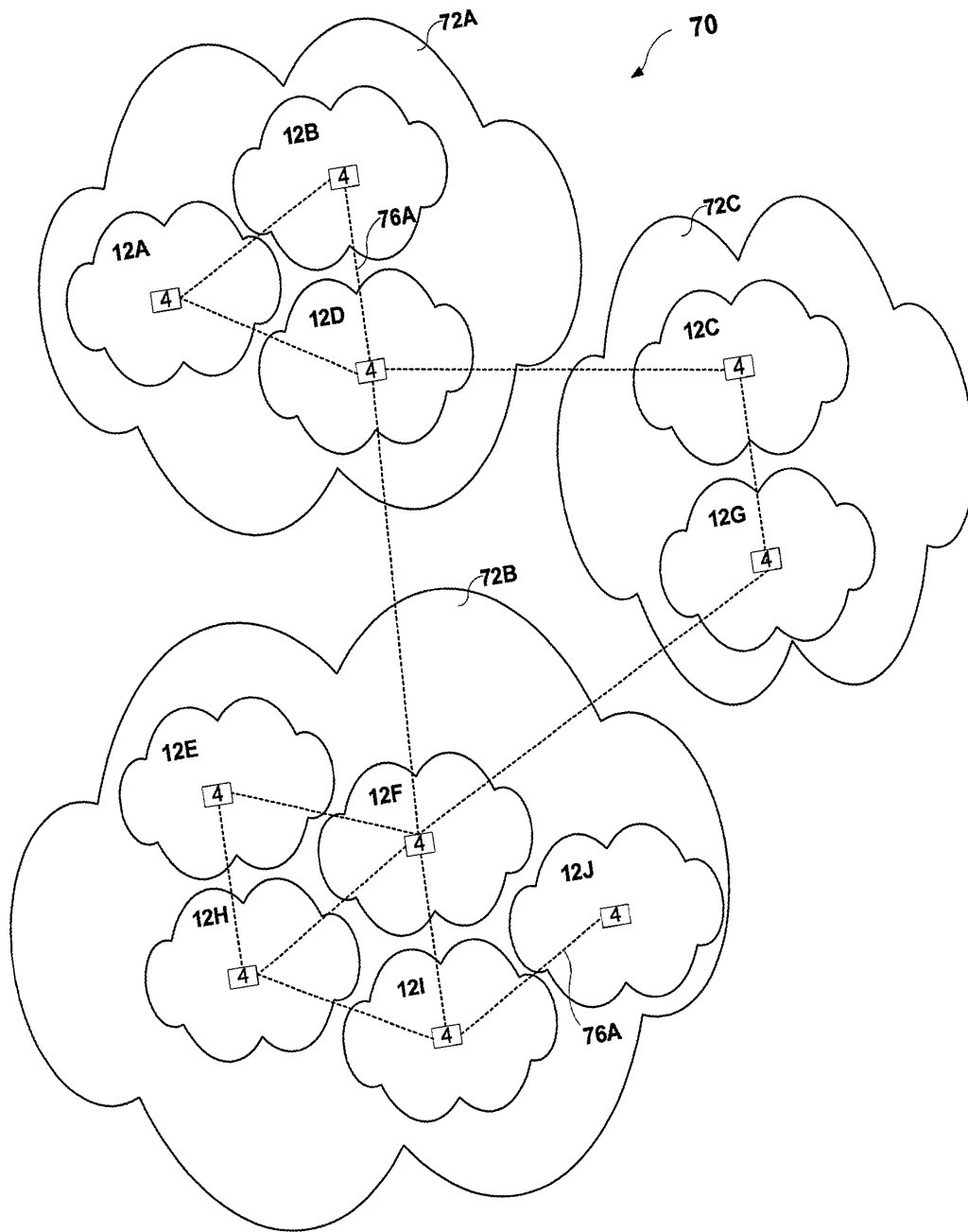


**FIG. 5**



**FIG. 6**

FIG. 7 is a schematic diagram of a network architecture 70. The network architecture 70 includes three main components: 72A, 72B, and 72C. Component 72A is a cloud containing sub-components 12A, 12B, and 12D. Component 72B is a cloud containing sub-components 12E, 12F, 12H, 12I, and 12J. Component 72C is a cloud containing sub-components 12C and 12G. Each sub-component (12A, 12B, 12C, 12D, 12E, 12F, 12H, 12I, 12J) is represented by a cloud shape and contains a small square icon with the number 4. Dashed lines represent connections between these sub-components. Within 72A, 12A is connected to 12B and 12D. Within 72B, 12E is connected to 12F and 12H; 12F is connected to 12H, 12I, and 12J; 12H is connected to 12I; and 12I is connected to 12J. Between 72A and 72B, 12B is connected to 12F and 12D is connected to 12I. Between 72A and 72C, 12D is connected to 12C. Additionally, 12C is connected to 12G. Labels 76A are placed near the connections between 12B and 12D, and between 12F and 12I. The entire system is labeled 70.



**FIG. 7**

FIG. 8 is a schematic diagram of a network 80. The network 80 includes four cloud-based nodes 12A, 12B, 12C, and 12D. Node 12A is connected to node 12B via a dashed line 82A. Node 12A is also connected to node 12C via a dashed line. Node 12B is connected to node 12D via a dashed line. Node 12C is connected to node 12D via a dashed line. Each node contains one or more square blocks labeled '4'. Node 12A contains blocks 4A and 4. Node 12B contains block 4. Node 12C contains blocks 4, 4, 4, 4, and 4. Node 12D contains blocks 4, 4, 4, 4, and 4.

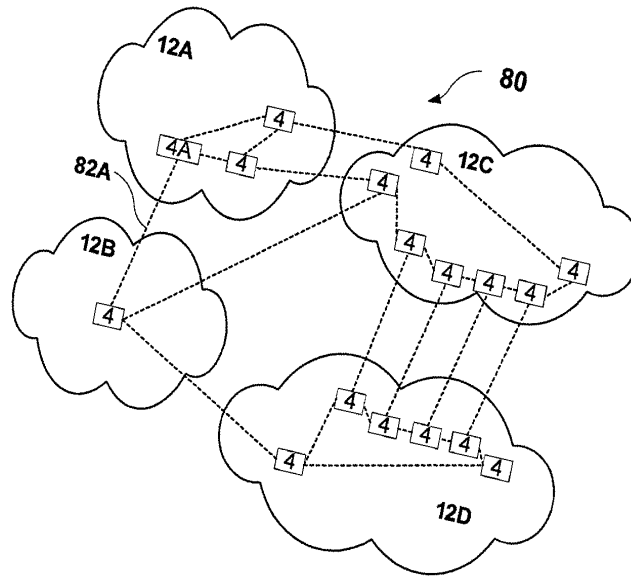


FIG. 8